able success under the direction of Mr. Robert Wynyard, the painstaking and courteous secretary.

in the absence of the official starter (Mr. C. O'Connor) at Woodville, Mr. F. W. Edwards acted and was very successful at the barrier.

Seven youngsters started in the kakino Handicap, of which Dido, with an impost or 9st, was made a hot favourite, but failed to materialise, although at one stage of the race the Soult filly was in the lead. Turning into the straight Launacost put in a strong claim, and soon established a lead, and in the final stage had no difficulty in stalling off a challenge by Indulgence. The Spalpeen colt finished up with a full two lengths margin. Semolina, who came well at the finish, ran Indulgence to a neck Dido finished for second honours. fourth.

Lucille was the best supported of tne six starters in the Cautley Handicap, but gave a most disappointing display. The winner proved to be Miss Livonia, who distinguished herself at the recent Ellerslie spring meeting by winning a double accompanied by two substantial dividends. On Saturday again her victory was associated with a fair reward to her supporters. Lady Dot filled the role of runner-up, being defeated by a short length. Lucille was a length further away third. A protest was entered against the winner for crossing, but it was dismissed after the stewards administered a caution to O'Shea, the rider of Miss Livonia.

The Pupuke Handicap was a good betting race and provided a most exciting finish. Ten horses faced the starter, of which Fuss, Goodwin Sands, Elegance, La Reina and Firelock were all well backed in that order. Firelock and La Reina were the first to break away and were companions throughout. Coming down the straight the two were neck and panions throughout. Coming down the straight the two were neck and neck. and it was only by a head that La Reina finally got the verdict. Elegance was a length away third, while Fuss, the actual favourite, finished a poor fifth.

The concluding race (Welter Handicap) was contested by eight horses, of which Duma was the best fancied. Again the favourite was vanquished. Spectre, who has not been a very trustworthy performer under silk, won rather easily, although Aristocrat, the biggest outsider, ran a good race and was only beaten in the last furlong. Admiral Soult was third.

The results are as follows:-

# RAKINO HANDICAP of 100sovs. Four furlongs.

Four furious.

2—H. D. de Lautour's Lannacost, by Spalpeen—Dalmatia, 7.9 (Hali) ... 1

4—Indulgence, 7.5 (Conquest) ... 3

Also started: 1 Dido 9.0 (Whittaker), 6 Erry Oge 6.12 (Percival), 5 Monowai 6.12 (Morris) and 7 Salvannie 6.7 (Stenning).

Time, 51 1-5sec.

CAUTLEY HANDICAP of 100sovs. Five furlongs and a-half.

PUPUKE HANDICAP of 100sovs. Seven furlongs.

graim). Time, 1min 28 2-5sec.

WELTER HANDICAP of 100sovs. One

# WOODVILLE JOCKEY CLUB.

BRITISH MAID WINS WOODVILLE HANDICAP.

MAIDEN PLATE of 65sovs. Six furlongs.

HACK HURDLES of 85sovs. One mile and three-quarters.

Also started: 6 Captain 10.8, 5 Mahuta 10.5, 4 Sunray 10.4, 8 Canadian 9.13, 7 Moonhal 9.0.
Won comfortably. Time, 3min 34 3-5sec.

GRANDSTAND HACK HANDICAP of 75sovs. Seven furlongs.

WOODVILLE HANDICAP of 200sovs. One mile and a-quarter.

lah 6.7. Won by two lengths. Time, 2min 14

FLYING HACK HANDICAP of 75sovs. Six furlongs.

P. W. Scally's Florence Nightingale, by The Officer—Ambuscade, 6.11
-Taft, 8.11
-Turna, 8.2

Also started: 7 Allurement 8.9, 4 Sinapis 8.8, 1 Crown Pearl 8.5, 6 Rongomai 8.0, 3 Seraphic 7.11, 10 Palestine 7.10, 8 Tainui 6.12, 11 Moeroa 6.7.

Won by a length. Time, 1min 20sec.

BOROUGH HANDICAP of 100sovs.

WELTER HACK HANDICAP of 75sovs. One mile.

One mile.

2 -J. McCarty's Plantation, by Sylvia
Park—Irma, S.S (F. D. Jones) ... 1
3-Sir Knox, 8.11 ... 2
8—Loch Maben, 9.2 ... 3
Also started: 1 Stevens 9.9, 4 Sam Pan
9.5, 7 Esmeh 9.5, 10 Waiputere 9.0, 6 Fond
Memory 9.0, 11 Miss Alba 8.13, 5 Awha
8.11, 12 Tripoli 8.9, 10 Stellaris 8.7, 8 Tuatahi 8.7.

8.11, 12 Tripoli 8.9, 10 Stellaris 8.7, 8 Tritahi 8.7.
Won comfortably. Time, 1min 50sec.

ELECTRIC HANDICAP of 100sovs. Five furlongs.

# RACING IN THE RAIN AND MUD.

The Woodville Jockey Club was again unfortunate with regard to the weather on Monday. There was heavy rain shortly after the first race, which continued for the greater portion of the afternoon. The sum of £8365 was put through the machine, making £15.537 for the meeting, against £11.682 last year. Results:—

TELEGRAPH HACK HANDICAP of 75 sovs. Five furlongs.

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2-A. R. Durrant's Sinapis, by St. Ambrose-Prologue, S.8 (B. Deeley) ... 1

5-Sanguinary, 6.7 (allowance 5lb) (W. Weller) ... 2

1-Gay Lawless, S.2 (F. Meagher) ... 3

1-Also started: 6 Seaweed 8.13 (C. Price), S.8 (F. D. Jones), 4 Monologue 8.8½ (W. Young) 9 Palestine 8.0 (E. Lowe), 10 Florence Nightingale 7.12 (B. Olliver), 8 Aurora 7.11 (A. McMullan), 13 Sir Donald 7.0 (F. Gilchirst), 12 Crown Battery 6.12 (W. Watson), 6 Papatere 6.12 (C. Emerson).

Time, Imin 3 2-5sec.

SECOND HACK HURDLES of S5sovs. One mile and a-half.

RUAHINE HACK WELTER of 75sovs. Seven furlongs.

SUMMER HANDICAP of 150sovs. One mile and a distance.

STEWARDS' HACK HANDICAP of 75 sovs. Six furlongs.

RAHLWAY HANDICAP of 100sovs, Five furlongs.

Five furlongs.

9-M. J. Bassett's Moree, by Merriwee
—Strephon mare 6.9 (W. Weller) ... 1
2-Gold Battery, 8.5 (F. Meagher) ... 2
1-Sea Eagle, 8.5 (C. Jenkins) ... 3
Also started: 6 Gladiole 9.7 (A. Oliver),
7 Lord Soult 8.10 (R. Hatch), 3 Master
Sylvia 8.10 (W. Price), 5 Blue Lake 8.4
(E. Lowe), 10 Lord Possible 8.0 (H. Kirk),
4 Khamsin 7.10 (C. Emerson), 10 Remissness 6.7 (J. Kemp), 8 Purakau 6.7 (H. Watson).
Time, 1min 5 4-5sec.

HACK SCURRY of 65sovs. All weights \$.7, Five furlongs.

Time, 1min 6 3-5sec.

#### **NOMINATIONS. HANDICAPS**

#### HANDICAPS.

#### AUCKLAND TROTTING CLUBIS SUMMER MEETING.

The following handicaps have been declared by F. W. Edwards for events to be run on the first day of the Auckland Trotting Club's summer meeting, which takes place at Alexandra Park on the 27th inst:—

ENTRODUCTORY HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Miss Salisbury scratch, Kotiri 4sec, Miss Dulce 7sec, Rothschild D. 9sec, Savanna 10sec, Black Gin 10sec, New Vita 10sec, Specimen Stone 12sec, Merry Kate 12 sec, Benalla Boy 12sec, Joe May 15sec, Pakuranga Boy 15sec.

WAITEMATA HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Wild Marie scratch, Pearlie Maid scratch, Our George scratch, Marathon 1sec, Little Paul 3sec, La Belle 3sec, Franz Josef 3sec, Harry Mace 3sec, Lord Victor 4sec, Tuatara 4sec, Mountain King 6sec, Good Friday 7sec, Special Flower 9sec, Bronze Bell 9sec, Prince Berlin 9sec, Belle of the Ball 9sec, AUCKLAND TROTTING CUP, two miles.—Manderene scratch, Papanui 2sec, St. Michael 9sec, Mistle 10sec, Cavalier 11sec, Baron Leugen 11sec, Bingana 11sec, Vanclare 12sec, Charming Boy 12sec, Bell 13sec, Lady Love 14sec.

EDEN HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Airana scratch, Gray W. 3sec, Iago 3sec, Receiver 4sec, Count 6sec, Harold's Child 7sec, Miss Salisbury 8sec, Huon Leal 9sec, Activity 11sec, Kotiri 12sec, Mikado 15sec.

PARNELL HANDICAP, two miles.—St. Michael scratch, Monica 1sec, Baron Leugen 2sec, Stalishury 8sec, Huon Leal 9sec, Activity 11sec, Kotiri 12sec, Mikado 15sec.

PARNELL HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Eniform scratch, Gold Bell 12sec.

los 16sec, Previous 12sec, Pearlie Maid 12sec.

DECEMBER HANDICAP, one mile and a-half.—Uniform scratch. Gold Bell scratch. Norminton 1sec, Robert Huon 6sec, Wenry Willie 10sec. Franz Josef 12sec, Specialty 15sec, Lincoln Guard 15 sec, Miss Dulce 18sec, Stop It 18sec. Lord Roanchild 18sec. Bellfounder 19sec, Olivette 2isec. Lady Specialist 21sec, Moorish Chief 21sec. Dimboola 21sec, Lady Doctor 21sec.

GREAT NORTHERN HANDICAP, one mile.—Papanui scratch. Maplewood 1scc, Nga Raima 1sec, Royal Victor 2sec, Lady Richmond 4sec. St. Michael 5ssec, Golden Rose 5sec, Bell Gray 5sec, Cavaller 6sec, John Harold 7sec, Charming Boy 7sec, Undine Ssec. Robex 9sec, Madame Melba 9sec, Miss Bell Boy 10sec.

ST. HELLERS HANDICAP, one mile.—Grampian scratch. Alf. McKinney 8sec, Bingana 8sec, Phyllistina 9sec, Lord Dilold 11sec, General Joubert 11sec, Master Park 11sec, Jungle 12sec, Jim Mc. 13sec, Ben F. 14sec, Lord Specialist 15sec, Ivy Woodburn 15sec. Fidelis 17sec, Monotype 18sec.

### MANAWATU RACING CLUB'S SUMMER MEETING.

The weights declared by J. E. Henrys for the four principal events on the first day of the Manawatu Racing Club's summer meeting are as follows:—

MANAWATU CUP, one mile and a-half.—Los Angelos 9.9. Equitas 9.4, Merrivonia 8.10, Aberbrothock 8.9, Martine 7.13, Espartero 7.12. Te Puia 7.11, Lady Menschikoff 7.10, Rauperaha 7.9, Sir Antrim 7.9, Rill 7.8, Birkline 7.3, Goodwin Park 7.2, Kilosteri 6.13, Iney 6.12, Sea Queen 6.12, Miscal 6.12, Gold Circle 6.12, Waipaku 6.10, Brown Trout 6.10, Mira 6.7, Fleet Week 6.7, Marton 6.7, Adare 6.7, Lord Kilcheran 6.7.

FITZHERIERT HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Equitas 10.8, Nyland 9.12, Full Rate 9.8, Gladiole 8.11, Polymorphous 8.10, Culprit 8.10, Hermia 8.7, Gold Thread 8.2,

Effort 7.13, Gold Battery 7.10; Ascalon 7.7, Sea Eagle 7.5; Lady Moutoa 7.3, Mon Ami 7.2, Lord Eossible 7.1, Rangiatua 7.0, Winning Post 6.7, Thetis 6.7;
GRANDSTAND HANDICAP, one mile.—Rill 9.0, Parable 8.11, Effort 8.11, Flingot 8.4, Gold Battery 8.4, Bronze 8.3, Sea Queen 8.2, Voetgang 7.12, First Battery 7.9, Brown Trout 7.8, Mon Ami 7.7, Attention 7.7, Melologue 6.13, Ambrosian 6.12, Fleet Week 6.12, Seaman 6.10, Ladrone 6.10, Marton 6.10.

JUVENILE HANDICAP, five furlongs.—Culprit 10.5, Bronze 8.13, Rangiatua 8.13, Adare 7.13, Vocation 7.13, Sir Moutoa 7.0, Rosalys 7.4, Merton 7.3, Expect 7.3, Elrmaid 6.12, Asternown 6.12, Invicta 6.12, Field Maid 6.12, Neirene 6.12, Imagination 6.12.

#### TARANAKI JOCKEY CLUB'S CHRISTMAS MEETING.

Weights for the principal events:—
STEWARDS' HANDICAP, seven furlongs.—Plantation 9.0, Te Whareroa 8.10,
Recipe 8.8. Mortite 8.8. Avarice 8.5, Minora 7.12, Park Tide 7.7, Clenfern 7.7, Tetekura 7.6. Dover Straits 7.5, Clemoes 7.5,
East Wind 7.5, St. Gate 7.4, Galty 7.4,
Legourie 7.4, Waitene 7.4, Simple Sam
7.4, Kiwitahi 7.4, Royal Dragoon 7.4.
CHRISTMAS HANDICAP one mile
and a-quarter.—Electrakoff 9.11, Patriotic
8.6. Epsom Lass 8.6, Golden Loop 8.6,
Shining Star 7.10, Sandy Paul 7.10, Otahi
7.8, Con the Shaughraun 7.8, Jargon 7.6,
Bismark 6.13.
FLYING HANDICAP, six furlongs.—
St. Toney 9.0, St. Bin 8.10, Smilax 8.10,
Golden Loop 8.9, Patriotic 8.9, Master
Sylvia 8.7, True Shot 7.13, Con the Shaughraun 7.12, Kareroa 7.9, Red Lupin 7.9, Te
Roti 7.9, Hinikorangi 7.2, Starboard 7.0.

#### THAMES JOCKEY CLUB'S SUMMER. MEETING.

MEETING.

The following weights have been declared for events to be run on the first day of the Thames Jockey Club's summer meeting on Boxing Day:—
MAIDEN 'HANDICA'P, seven furlongs.—Tiresome 9.0, Miss Ada 8.12, Caruso 8.9, Faida 8.4, Rutter 8.4, Little Stanley 8.2, Steplink 7.13, Belle Crispin 7.12, Field Marshal 7.12, Panthea 7.12, Carbarette 7.12, Countree 7.11, Almieda 7.11, Manurere 7.11, Hesperian 7.11, Master Dix 7.11, Leafire 7.11, Possum 7.10, Kaiala 7.10, Miss Elma 7.10, Old Maid 7.7, Invader 7.7, Hildur 7.7, Peter Pryde 7.7.

BOROUGH HANDICAP, five furlongs.—Moreykoff 9.3, Miss Livonia 8.13, Hikuai 8.6, Harenoa 8.4, Elegance 8.3, Hyperion 8.0, Sir Rupert 7.12, Fremantle 7.12, Parawai 7.10, Little Stanley 7.8, Haku 7.8, Echo 7.8, Peggy Pryde 7.7, Lady Culrassier 7.6, Winhaston 7.6, Frontino 7.6, Marangai 7.5, Maungatete 7.4, Report 7.3, Engraver 7.3, Arawa 7.2, Soultstone 7.2, Gibson Girl 7.0, Manurer 7.0, Merry Christmas 7.0, Reremai 7.0.

FIRST HACK HURDLES, one mile and three-quarters.—Taiaha 11.0, Golden Glow 10.10, Matarere 9.12, Golborne 9.8, Bon Cyr 9.6, Field Marshal 9.2, Arty 9.1, Kaiaia 9.0, The Chief 9.0, Kapona 9.0, Dunrobin 9.0.

GOLDFIELDS CUP, one and a-quarter miles.—St. Amans 9.3, Sublime 8.13, Sphinx 8.7, Spectre 8.4, Aristocrat 7.12, Elegance 7.12, Scotch 7.9, Fuss 7.7, Waiotahi 7.6, Impulsive 7.6, Miss Ada 7.2, Fraulein 7.0, Luperin 6.13, Pip 6.12, Leafire 6.10, First HACK HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Tipperary 9.0, Paeroa 8.9, St. Wood

miles.—St. Amans 9.3, sublime 8.18, Spninx 8.7, Spectre 8.4, Aristocrat 7.12, Elegance 7.12, Scotch 7.9, Fuss 7.7, Waiotahi 7.6, Impulsive 7.6, Miss Ada 7.2, Fraulein 7.0, Luperin 6.13, Pip 6.12, Leafire 6.10, Hesperian 6.10.
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MIDSUMMER HANDICAP, seven furlongs.—Sublime 9.3, Miss Livonia 8.13, Clegance 8.2, Scotch 7.13, Waiotahi 7.9, Caruso 7.8, Blue Mount 7.8, Fraulein 7.3, Pip 7.0, Luperin 7.0, Manurere 7.0.

# DUNEDIN JOCKEY CLUB'S SUMMER MEETING.

The following weights have been declared for the first day of the Dunedin Jockey Club's summer meeting:

SUMMER HURDLES, one mile and three-quarters.—Master Paul II.2, Jack Ashore 10.9, Milo 10.9, Rifle Range 10.6, Bay Lupin 10.2, Simon Pure 9.13, Glenfield 9.12, Gold Pin 9.9, Ringman 9.8, Embrasure 9.0, Larkspur 9.0, Sharp Eye 9.0, Black and Brown 9.0.

SALISBURY HANDICAP, seven furlongs.—John Bunyan 9.9, Troon 9.2, Peter 8.13, Palisade 8.13, Safety Pin 8.9, Red, White and Blue 8.5, Oratava 8.2, Alfreda 7.13, Sacha 7.12, Gryta 7.11, Thrax 7.9, Nikon 7.7, Kimona 7.7, Issis 7.7, Corrie 7.7.

DUNEDIN HANDICAP, five furlongs.—Anna Carlovna 8.8, Champagne 8.7, St. Ambrose colt 7.12, Pippin 7.12, May Dalrymple 7.9, Tataramoa 7.9, Red Pennon 7.9, Special Form 7.9, Loudres 7.7, Martian Maid 7.7. Shona 7.7, May 7.1, Nyx 7.7, Carpet Knight 7.7, Peg 7.7, Strobera 7.4.

OTAGO HANDICAP, one mile and aquarter.—Rose Noble 9.1, Thistledown 8.3, Waiju 8.0, The Cornet 7.13, Tannhauser 7.11, Tawhaki 7.9, Mumura 7.5, Adjudge 7.4, Warsaw 7.3, Kohinoor 7.2, Field Gun 6.12, True Knight 6.10, Routine 6.7.

FEDERAL HANDICAP, six furlongs.—Soldier's Chorus 9.8, My Lawyer 8.13, Penates 8.13, Thistledown 8.8, Stepmeter 8.7, San Severo 7.13, Kohinoor 7.13, Lupulite 7.5, Kostroma 7.4, Gapon 7.3, Gold Sail 7.3, Expansion 7.3, Directoire 7.0, Palette 6.10, Crosble 6.7.

OTOKIA WELTER, one mile.—Walju 9.10, Medallist 9.8, Eaglestone 9.6, Taw-